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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR FOLLOW-UP WITH CHINESE AUTHORITIES ON EXPORT TO IRAN (S)

REF: A. 07 STATE 90014 1B. BEIJING 004341

Classified By: ISN/MTR DIRECTOR PAM DURHAM REASONS 1.4 (B), (C) AND (D).

- 11. This is an action request. Embassy Beijing, please see paragraph 2.
- 12. (S) Action Request: In June 2007, the USG provided information (ref A) to the PRC concerning a shipment by the China branch of Taiwan's Yuan Sheng Aluminum Manufacturing Corporation of 7075-T651 aluminum plates to Iran's Aluminat Co. To date, ISN/MTR has no record of receiving the results of the PRC investigation. Request Embassy Beijing follow-up with appropriate Chinese officials and request an update of China's investigation.
- 13. (U) Washington POC is ISN/MTR April Jones (Phone: 202-647-3176). Please slug any reporting on this issue for ISN/MTR.

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